

To whom it may concern:

I recently learned of the possibility that XM Radio and other satellite radio providers may not be able to provide local content. I think this is a travesty. As a consumer, I vastly prefer XM Radio, because I travel a lot, to regular radio.

A key government role is to protect consumer choice and do what is in the best interests of the consumer, not big media. Allowing broadcasters to shut down satellite radio's ability to provide local content seems directly counterproductive to this goal.

I ask that you support XM and other satellite radio providers continue to be able to expand their content and programming to include local content.

Sincerely,
Brian Robertson